GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

CA,F&CS DEPARTMENT – AP STATE FOOD COMMISSION – Sri.J.R.Pushpa Raj, appointed as Chairperson, State Food Commission – Salary, Pay and Allowances payable and terms and conditions of service as Chairperson, State Food Commission – Orders – Issued.

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS.I(1)) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 23 Dated: 18-12-2017
Read the following :

1. G.O.MS.NO.602, GA (RTIA / GPM&AR) Department, dated. 20-10-2010.
2. G.O.Ms.No.6 C.A. F & C.S. (CS.I) Dept. dated:12-4-2017.
3. G.O.Ms.No.8 C.A. F & C.S. (CS.I) Dept. dated:18-4-2017.
4. G.O.Ms.No.11 C.A.F & C.S.(CS.I) Dept., dated:19-7-2017.
5. Charge Assumed as Chairperson, A.P. State Food Commission by sri. J.R.Puspha Raj dated.07-08-2017.

ORDER :

In G.O.Ms.No.6 C.A. F & C.S. (CS.I) Dept. dated:12-4-2017, reference second read above orders have been issued constituting State Food Commission for monitoring and review of implementation of the National Food Security Act, 2013 in the State.

2. In G.O.Ms.No.11 C.A.F & C.S. Dept., dtd:19-7-2017, vide reference 4th read above orders were issued appointing Sri J.R. Pushpa Raj, as Chairperson Andhra Pradesh State Food Commission and he assumed charge on 07-08-2017 FN.

3. In the GO reference 3rd read above ordered that the Pay and Allowances payable to and other terms & conditions of service of the Chairperson, A.P.State food commission are the same as that of the State Chief Information Commissioner of Andhra Pradesh State Information Commission in the reference first read above.

4. The Chairperson/Member at the time of his/her appointment is, in receipt of a pension, other than a disability or wound pension, in respect of any previous service under the Government of India or under the Government of a State, his/her salary in respect of the service as the Chairperson or Member shall be reduced by the amount of that pension including any portion of pension which was commuted and pension equivalent of other forms of retirement benefits excluding pension equivalent of retirement gratuity;

The Chairperson , who is appointed from the category of eminent in public life is an Ex.MLA and Ex.Minister who is drawing pension from the APLA. The Drawing Officer, of CA,F&CS Department shall ensure about the drawal/non drawal of pension from the APLA before drawing his salary.

**Term:**

Term of the Chairperson of the State Food Commission shall be 5 years on which he/she enters upon office and eligible for reappointment. However, no person shall hold office as the Chairperson or Member after he / she has attains the age of **sixty five years.**

**Status :**

The Status of the Chairperson of the State Food Commission shall be as that of State Chief Information Commissioner.

**Pay :**

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission shall receive a sum of Rs.2,50,000/-(fixed) as per 7th pay commission recommendation. He is also eligible for dearness pay and dearness allowance as admissible to the Chief Information Commissioner on the monthly remuneration indicated above. He shall not be eligible for dearness allowance on service pension during his tenure.

**Pension:**

other than a disability or wound pension, in respect of any previous service under the Government of India or under the Government of a State, his/her salary in respect of the service as the Chairperson or Member shall be reduced by the amount of that pension including any portion of pension which was commuted and pension equivalent of other forms of retirement benefits excluding pension equivalent of retirement gratuity;

**Leave :**

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission shall be eligible for leave on par with the State Chief Information Commissioner. AP Information Commission. He shall be eligible for surrender of earned leave on par with the AIS Officers for the purpose of encashment.

**Accommodation**:

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission shall be eligible for accommodation on par with State Chief Information Commissioner. Where government accommodation is not provided or not availed, he / she shall be paid House Rent Allowance as per the rate applicable in respect of Vijayawada city, in lieu of rent free accommodation.

**Traveling Allowance / Daily Allowance :**

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission shall be entitled for TA and DA as applicable to the State Chief Information Commissioner .

**Leave Travel Concession** :

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission are eligible for LTC i.e., All India and Home Town, as eligible to the AIS officers of the rank of Chief Secretary to the State Government.

**Conveyance facilities** :

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission is eligible for Government vehicle on par with the State Chief Information Commissioner. Where no official vehicle is provided, he shall be paid a fixed amount per month as conveyance allowance as per the Government orders from time to time.

**Telephones** :

He shall be provided with telephone one at office and another at his residence and a cell phone with a National Roaming facility (Rs.5,000/- package). In case he / she has personal residential telephone / cell phone, he / she is permitted to use the same for official purpose, i.e., for purpose of settling the bills as per eligibility.

**Medical Facilities :**

The Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission and their dependent family members shall be governed by All India Medical Attendant Rules 1985 and instructions issued thereon from time to time.

**Administration and other residuary matters** :

Other administrative matters relating to terms and conditions of the service of the Chairperson of the AP State Food Commission with respect to which no express provision has been made shall be as applicable to the State Chief Information Commissioner.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-A-C, AHDDF,CS) Department vide their Concurrence No. FIN-38027/201/FMU(A&CACS)/2017 Dated 07-12-2017.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**B.RAJSEKHAR,**
**EX.OFFICIO PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To**
Sri.J.R.Puspha Raj, Chairperson, AP State Food Commission, AP, Vijayawada.
The Member Secretary, AP State Food Commission, A.P Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of civil Supplies Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P. Vijayawada.
The Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P.Secretariat Branch, Velgapudi.
Copy to :
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The finance (AHDDF,CS) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER.